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Ex Parte

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Petition of the Verizon Telephone Companies for Forbearance under 47 U.S.C.
§ 160(c) from Title II and Computer Inquiry Rules with Respect to Their Broadband
Services, WC Docket 04-440**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Today, Mr. Ed Shakin and Mr. Will Johnson from Verizon met with the General Counsel of the FCC, Mr. Sam Feder, regarding the above proceeding. Also attending from the Office of the General Counsel were Mr. Joel Kaufman and Mr. Christopher Killion. The positions set forth are those that are on the written record in this proceeding and in Verizon's February 7, 2006 letter to the Commission in particular.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dee May".

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